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Newsletter - 28th November 2025

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Hello everyone,

It has been another busy and enjoyable week in school. On Monday, a group of Year 6 boys took part in a football tournament. They played three matches—winning one and losing two—but represented the school brilliantly with great determination and sportsmanship throughout. Our Year 1 children visited Redcatch Gardens for their termly trip and had a fantastic time exploring the outdoor spaces and engaging with nature. Thank you to the staff and volunteers who supported the visit. Year 4 held their class assemblies on friendships, which were very well attended by parents and carers. The children spoke confidently, shared thoughtful messages and should feel incredibly proud of their hard work.

Looking ahead, next week we will begin practising for our Christmas plays and productions. Please do check the school calendar for important dates so you don't miss these special events.

If you haven't already, please buy your PTA Winter Fair raffle tickets. There are some fantastic prizes including vouchers for Avon Valley, Redpoint climbing centre, Free Dog M&S and Story Smith book shop.

Have a good weekend,

Helen Bailey

Attendance Matters

Attendance Ladder



Last weeks (week beg. 17/11/2025) attendance winners are:

KS1: Octopus with 97.1%

KS2: 4T with 100%

Acorns: 84.5%

Our attendance target at Knowle Park is **96%**

Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day



Term 2 P.E days

Mon: Yr6 **Tues:** Yr5 **Wed:** Yr4 **Thurs:** Yr3 **Fri:** Yr2

Dates for your Diary

Sat 6th Dec	PTA Christmas Fayre
Mon 8th Dec	Yr2 - Christmas Production 2:30pm
Tue 9th Dec	Yr2 - Christmas Production 9:30am
Wed 10th Dec	Y1 - Christmas Production 9:30am EYFS - Christmas Production 2:30pm
Thurs 11th Dec	EYFS - Christmas Production 9:30am Y1 - Christmas Production 2:30pm
Wed 17th Dec	Church Visits Yr3 & 4 - 9:30am Yr5 & 6 - 10:15am
Wed 17th Dec	PTA Christmas Disco Yr3 & 4 - 4:00pm to 5:00pm Yr5 & 6 - 5:15pm to 6:15pm
Thurs 18th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Dinner

Inset days:

5th January 2026
1st June 2026

Here is a link to the [School Calendar](#)

Reminder to Parents

Pick up time for children is

Reception - **3.10pm**

Years 1 & 2 - **3.15pm**

Years 3 to 6 - **3.20pm**

Acorns - **3.15pm**

We are having lots of children regularly brought to the office and the end of the day.

Stars of the Week

Well done to our stars:

1W - Edie, **1H** - Elijah, **1GD** - Amelie, **2WP** - Jaxon, **2M** - Aruba, **2T** - Emma,

3B - Reggie, **3J** - Nora, **3HS** - Edward, **4R** - Owais, **4T** - Joe, **4F** - Cassius,

5F - Nana, **5C** - Nitiya, **5H** - Carter, **6S** - Rowan, **6B** - Helena, **6E** - Astrid.

Parent Drop-In Sessions with the School Nurse

We are pleased to announce a series of Parent Drop-In sessions with our new School Nurse. These sessions provide an excellent opportunity for you to discuss any health concerns you may have regarding your child.

Session Dates - 9am-10am:

- **Thursdays:** 18/12/25.



Feel free to drop by the school during these times to have a chat with the School Nurse. We look forward to seeing you there!

Well Done, Ella!



Ella is very proud of herself receiving a certificate after taking part in a November Gymnastics Centre Showcase. She has been going to Gymnastic since she started Reception last year. Well Done!

If your child has an outstanding achievement you would like us to celebrate, please email the office at: Knowle.park.p@bristol-schools.uk with details and a photo.



Eco News

Redcatch Community Gardens

Such a wonderful place to go! They offer so many incredible things and in so many different areas. Please click the link to watch their fundraising video. They need £2000,000 to build a new café. It will make such a difference to all users and staff. It will generate money so that they can continue to do all the amazing things that our community love and enjoy.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P76UTsKeU&feature=youtu.be>

If you would like to donate today, please scan the QR code.

Eco Squad have decided to donate the money raised at the Christmas Fair to Redcatch Community Gardens. Thank you for all your support! Please keep donating plants, outer plant pots Christmas jumpers and coats.

Many thanks Miss Hucker, Mrs Burdeau and Mrs Govier

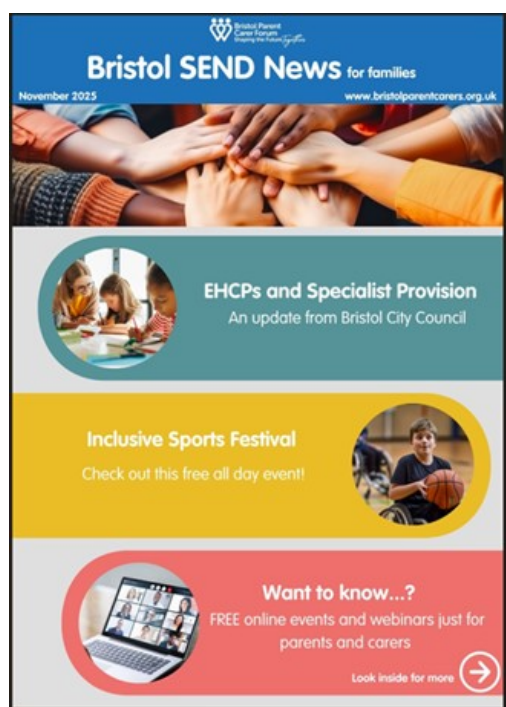


Please continue you save your dead batteries. Our starting total is 1146 !

SEND News Corner

Visit our new look Special Educational Needs page on the school website:

[Special Educational Needs and Disability | Knowle Park Primary School](#)



Bristol Parent Carers have asked us to share their November newsletter. Inside you will find an update from Bristol City Council on EHCP waiting times, information about Ignite Sports inclusive event, upcoming FREE webinars to support your families needs plus more.

Juggling the busy demands of parenting can be tough, inside this newsletter you will find handpicked information on the stuff that matters. Please click the link below for more.

<https://midd.me/wml2>



PTA UPDATES- Friday 28th November

Cake donations

Please can cake donations for the Winter Fair be brought to the main office on **Friday 5th December**. Please can any homemade donations include a list of ingredients. Also please be mindful that we are a nut free school.

Raffle tickets

Please can raffle tickets and money be sent in to class teachers by **Friday 5th December**. See accompanying poster for prize lists.

Fair tokens

Fair tokens will be for sale at pick up on **Friday 5th December**. They can also be bought at the fair.

Fair timings

Fair - 12pm – 3pm

Choir – 12.30

Stomping Stars - 1.30

Christmas disco – Wed 17th Dec

Volunteers needed for Christmas discos from **3pm to 6.45pm** or anytime within. Volunteers will be needed to sell snacks and drinks such as hot dogs and sweets.

Contact 07846405738 to volunteer.

Reception/ year 1 and year 2 – within school time

Year 3&4 – 4.00 – 5.00pm

Year 5 & 6 – 5.15 -6.15pm

The cost of the disco is £2 per child.

Knowle Park PTA
2025 Winter Raffle
Check out these amazing prizes!



Luxe Fitness - 6 month membership
Hive Fitness - 4 classes
Hengrove Leisure Centre - Day pass
Bath Thermae Spa - Twilight package for 2 (worth £100!)



Storysmith - £15 voucher
Fox and West - Seasonal Veg box voucher
Marks and Spencer - £25 give card
Lauras Pizza - Voucher



Oral Hygiene pack
Chocolates
Lost and Grounded
Hampers donated by KPPS families



Mendip Activity Centre - Disc golf for 5 people
Bristol Ferry Boats - Day ticket for 2 people
Avon Valley - £30 gift voucher
Aerospace Bristol - Voucher
Redpoint Climbing - £18 voucher
Adventure Golf - 4 tickets
Bendy Studio - 5 kids classes
Free Dog - £15 voucher
Tobacco Factory - two Tickets for Raunzel

Community News

WINTER HOLIDAY CLUBS

YATE - FITLON - KNOWLE - STAPLETON - PILNING

22 DEC - 23 DEC - 24 DEC - 2 JAN



GYM & DANCE

Early Bird - 10% OFF
until 23rd Nov
WINTERHOL

9AM-4PM



EARLY / LATES



9AM - 1PM



NERF

£24

MULTI-DAY DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE



LUNCH PROVIDED

FREE HAF HOLIDAY CLUB SPACES

FOR CHILDREN WHO RECEIVE
BENEFIT-RELATED FREE SCHOOL MEALS.



BRISTOL
SPORT FOUNDATION



9AM-4PM



YEARS 1 TO 6



0117 963 0683



abler.io/shop/bristolsportfoundation

OPEN EVENTS AT KNOWLE PARK PRIMARY

Are you looking for a school space for your Reception age child for 26/27?

Come and have a look at our wonderful school on one of our open events. You can come and have a look around our school, peek into the EYFS area and meet our wonderful team. Dates and times for our open events are:

02 October at 05.30pm

10 October at 09.30am

13 November at 05.30pm

14 November at 09.30am

09 January at 09.30am

If you would like to attend one of the above events, there is no need to book or inform us in advance, just turn up to your chosen date and time.

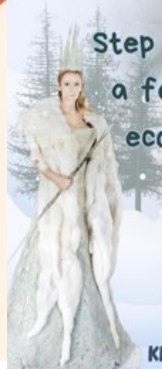
A magical experience for the
whole family — everyone's
welcome!



SATURDAY 13TH DECEMBER 10.30-13.00

Narnia

Step into NARNIA this Christmas with
a festive film, themed crafts, and
eco-friendly fun for ALL AGES.



KNOWLE METHODIST CHURCH, BRISTOL, BS4 2EP

Winter fair

We are still looking for helpers for the Winter Fair
6th December 12-3pm.

We will only run stalls that have volunteers signed up,
so if you can spare 3 hours to make it a great day

PLEASE CONTACT 07846 405 738

Volunteers for stalls needed

Activities:

- Biscuit decorating
- Craft a snowflake (1-3)

Games:

- Snowman Pong
- Doubty Sprouty

Shopping:

- Pocket Money Shop
- Door Stewards
- Sweet Stall (12-1)
- Hot dog stand
- Parents Presents
- Outdoor refreshments.

Volunteers confirmed for stalls

- Glitter tattoos/face paints
- Grinch Bar
- Token Stall
- Teddy Tombola
- Uniform
- Bracelet Making
- Snowflake crafting(12-1)

Want to help in other ways?

Sponsor a stall, donate a raffle prize or help with prep -
let us know 07846 405 738

Thank you to our wonderful volunteers, past present and future!

Community News

Redcatch Community Garden
Christmas Market
Saturday 29th & Sunday 30th
November 11-3.30pm



Gifts & Crafts
Hot and Cold Food
Mulled Cider
Christmas Trees
RCGs Wreaths

RCG's Homemade Products:
Chutneys, Apple Juice,
Cider Vinegar, Chilli Sauce,
Kimchi, Sauerkrauts,
Pickles

Support the Garden
& local traders this season

www.redcatchcommunitygarden.com
Redcatch Park, Broadwalk, Knowle BS4 2RD



**DOUBLE YOUR DONATION
MIDDAY-MIDDAY
2ND-9TH DECEMBER!**

Help Redcatch Community Garden build Rooted – a new indoor, accessible café that will:

- Support inclusive and SEND learning opportunities
- Maintain community wellbeing & mental health activities
- Fight food inequality & support cost-of-living initiatives
- Create skills and employment-building opportunities
- Protect a vital, inclusive community hub

**Scan QR Code
to donate
now!**



Christmas Challenge

Redcatch Community Garden **BigGive**

<https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/24187#!/DonationDetails>



**CHRISTMAS
CRAFT
NIGHT**

Come for an evening of making, with a free glass of mulled wine and a mince pie to celebrate Advent! Wreaths, table decorations, and so much more! All to raise money for our local homeless charity - inHope. Tickets cost £25

Friday 28 November

**7PM - 10PM AT
TOTTERDOWN BAPTIST
CHURCH**

<https://buytickets.at/inhope/1917002>
contact emelye@gmail.com



**CHRISTMAS DUBS
AT THE PARK**



MONDAY 1st DECEMBER 2025

THE BELTOL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL CHARITY
The GRAND APPEAL
Est. 1995